above Rs. 150 as provided for in Clause 3 of Article 270, Mysore Account Code, Volume I, in the case of pattadars outside the district, smaller sums being required to be sent through the Revenue Money Order. The Comptroller, however, apprehends that the work of the Account Offices will increase if the issue of Remittance Transfer Receipts *at par* for voluntary payments within the District is authorised as proposed by the Revenue Commissioner and suggests that the issue of Remittance Transfer Receipts may be permitted on payment of premium only and be limited to sums exceeding Rs. 150 and that Rule 91 of the Land Revenue Rules under the Land Revenue Code may be revised accordingly.

4. Government after considering all aspects of the case are of opinion that Rule 91 of the Land Revenue Rules which allows the pattadars the privilege of crediting Land Revenue due in any Taluk within the District or in the District Treasury, with the previous permission of the Deputy Commissioner, does not require modification and that the issue of the Remittance Transfer Receipts for Land Revenue Collections from one Taluk to another in the same District in which the demand arises is not necessary. In modification of the direction in this behalf contained in paragraph 4 of Government Order of 7th November 1924, Government direct that Land Revenue belonging to one Taluk but paid to the Treasury of another in the same District be credited to the final head in the accounts of the latter. With a view to facilitate these collections being separated from the rest of those pertaining to the Taluk and sorted for transmission promptly to the Taluks concerned, Government direct the use of a coloured chellan form easily distinguishable from the ordinary chellan. The Revenue Commissioner is requested to take needful action in consultation with the Superintendent, Government Printing, for the printing and supply of the special forms of chellans to the Taluks for use. With the adoption of this arrangement and the strict observance of the revised rules laid down in Government Order No. R. 7559-70—L. R. 20-24-77, dated 27th June 1925, in the matter of verification of Departmental credits with the Treasury Accounts, Government consider that the correct preparation of Land Revenue Demand, Collection and Balance returns in Taluk Offices will be ensured and no change in the Standing Orders is necessary.

B. SRINIVASA IYENGAR,
Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT.

Calculation of rent.

READ—

Government Order No. P. W. 1908-58—M. 10289-10339, dated 8th June 1921, laying down rules for the calculation of rent on buildings provided as residences to Government Officers.

2. Letter No. W. A. D. Mis. 982, dated 5th December 1925, from the Comptroller, requesting orders as to whether charge allowances drawn by Sub-Assistant Surgeons should be considered as part of their salary for calculation of rent.

ORDER NO. FL. 4969-50-28—G. F. 221-25-2, DATED 1ST MARCH 1926.

The Government Order read above does not define how "Salary" should be understood for calculating rent. It is necessary to supply this omission and Government are accordingly pleased to direct that salary, for the purpose of the said order be understood as meaning all emoluments drawn by an occupant whether from General Revenues or from a Local Fund, and Pension, if he is in receipt of pension, excluding only Travelling and Conveyance Allowances and tentage.

This order will have effect from 1st March 1926.

M. N. KRISHNA RAO,
Financial Secretary to Government.

RIALWAY SECRETARIAT

Agreement.

READ—

Letter No. 141, dated 20th—21st October 1925, from the Agent, Mysore Railways, stating that it is considered desirable to take agreements of service from all the Gazetted Officers in the non-pensionable service of the Mysore Railways and forwarding, for sanction of Government, a draft form of agreement which is in accordance with that prescribed in the State Railway Open Line Code, Volume II, Appendix 8, with slight alterations to suit this Railway.

ORDER No. R. S. 1424-29—RY. F. 51—O. L. 25-26, DATED 16—18TH FEBRUARY 1926.

Government are pleased to approve of the form of agreement of service, submitted by the Agent, being introduced in the Railway Department with additions as under :—

(*a*) Clause IA. That in consideration of the special training given, the said.....shall serve the Government of Mysore (Railway Department) for at least five years after completion of training.

N.B.—This clause may be struck out where special training, either wholly or partly at the expense of the Government of Mysore, is not given to Officers.

(*b*) The following sentence at the end of Clause V :—

"Any sum due by him may be recovered by attachment and sale of his property under any law for the time being in force for the recovery of arrears of land revenue."

(*c*) The following insertion between the words 'writing' and 'to' in the 7th line of Clause IX :—

"Which shall be after five years in case where special training is given either wholly or partly at the expense of Government."

2. The form of agreement as now revised is printed as an annexure to this order.

C. DOVE-WILSON,
Secretary for Railways,
Government of Mysore.

Articles of agreement made this day of.....192 between.....of the one part and the Government of Mysore of the other part.

Whereas the Government of Mysore has agreed to employ the said..... and the said.....has agreed to serve the Government of Mysore in the capacity of a.....in the superior Revenue Establishment of the Mysore Railways.

And Whereas it has been agreed that the terms and conditions of service of the said.....shall be embodied in these presents.

Now these presents witness and the parties hereto respectively agree as follows :—

I. That the said.....shall be employed in the service of the Government of Mysore (Railway Department) and shall serve in the capacity of a.....in the superior Revenue Establishment of the Mysore Railways.

IA. That in consideration of the special training given, the said..... shall serve the Government of Mysore (Railway Department) for at least five years after completion of training.

N.B.—This clause may be struck out where special training, either wholly or partly at the expense of the Government of Mysore, is not given to officers.

II. That the said.....will employ himself honestly, efficiently and diligently under the orders and instructions of the officers under whom he shall from time to time be placed by the Government of Mysore in such localities in the Mysore State as.....in which capacity he will discharge all duties appertaining to that office and also all such duties as are discharged by persons holding similar situations in Mysore State and shall do all things which may be required of him or which are necessary to be done in his capacity as aforesaid and shall also make himself in other respects generally useful as may be required by those in authority over him.

III. That the said.....will not on any pretence absent himself from his duties without having first obtained the permission of the proper officer having authority over him, or in case of sickness or inevitable accident without forwarding a medical certificate satisfactory to such officer.

IV. That the said.....will devote his whole time to the duties of the service and will not on his own account carry on or be concerned in any trade or business or occupation whatsoever.

V. That the said.....will be responsible for the charge and care of Government money, goods and stores and any property entrusted to him or in his hands and will truly and faithfully account for or pay or deliver to the proper person all money, goods and stores and property which shall at any time come to his hands or be under his charge on account of the Government of Mysore. Any sum due by him may be recovered by attachment and sale of his property under any law for the time being in force for the recovery of arrears of land revenue.

VI. That the Government reserve to themselves the right to adopt and use any improvement [illegible], whether patented or not, which may be introduced by the said without payment [illegible] any patent right or royalty whatever. Any payment which the Government in their sole discretion may see fit to award will be by way of gratuity only.

VII. That the said.....will conform to all the rules and regulations of the Department of the Government service to which he may belong and will obey all such orders and directions as shall from time to time receive from his superiors.

VIII. That should the said .....be guilty of any insubordination, intemperance or misconduct or any breach of non-performance of the provisions of these presents at any time during the continuance of his service, it shall be lawful for the Government of Mysore or the officers having authority in that behalf immediately and without previous notice to discharge him from service and such officer shall be the sole and absolute judge and his decision shall be final for the purpose of determining whether the said..... .....has been guilty of any insubordination, intemperance or misconduct or has committed any breach in the performance of the provisions of these presents.

IX. That unless the said.....shall receive notice in writing from some authorised officer of Government of three calendar months that the Government of Mysore no longer requires his services or unless he shall give notice in writing, which shall be after five years in case where special training is given either wholly or partly at the expense of Government, to the Government of Mysore of three months that he is desirous to put an end to his service under these presents, he shall continue therein upon the terms and conditions herein contained until these presents shall be terminated on the part of the Government of Mysore by giving to the said..... .....three calendar months' previous notice in writing or by paying him three months' pay and on the part of the said ....by giving three calendar months' previous notice in writing to the Government of Mysore.

X. That if the said.....shall observe and comply with all the provisions of these presents there shall be paid to him for such time as he shall be actually in the service and perform his duties such salary as may be prescribed by the rules of the service applicable to his position and appointment and that his pay and leave allowances shall be regulated by the said rules but it is expressly declared and agreed that he shall not be entitled to any pension whatever at any time.

XI. That the said..... .....shall during the continuance of his service under these presents subscribe to the Provident Fund of the Mysore Railways for which he may from time to time be eligible.

In witness whereof the parties to this agreement have hereunto set their hands on the dates hereinafter mentioned.

Signed by the said..... .....on the..... .....day of ....192 . in the presence of

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} Witness.
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Signed for and on behalf of the Government of Mysore by the Agent, Mysore Railways, on the..... .....day of.....192 . in the presence of

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} Witness.
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